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1219PM URGENT 4-23-68 CND

TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, SPRINGFIELD AND SAN FRANCISCO.

FROM SAN DIEGO 44-387 2P

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SUSPECT; HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER, [redacted]

RE SD TEL TO BUREAU, APRIL TWELVE LAST, BUREAU TEL TO MEMPHIS, LA, SC, SD, SF AND SPRINGFIELD, APRIL TWELVE LAST, BUREAU TEL TO ALL SACS EXCEPT KC, AN, HN AND SJ, APRIL NINETEEN LAST.

ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO REFERENCED BUREAU TEL APRIL NINETEEN LAST, WHEREIN THE BUREAU STRESSES THE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN JAMES EARL RAY AND WALTER TERRY RIFE, PARTICULARLY THEIR BACKGROUND HISTORY AT QUINCY, ILLINOIS.

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ATTENTION ALSO DIRECTED TO FACT THAT HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER, [redacted] WAS BORN AT QUINCY, ILLINOIS AND HAS SEVERAL INCARCERATIONS AT QUINCY, ILL. DURING NINETEEN FIFTY ONE THROUGH NINETEEN FIFTY FOUR.

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INVESTIGATION BY SD OFFICE REFLECTS HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER POSSESSES CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER [redacted] OBTAINED FEBRUARY FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTY FOUR, SHOWING HIS ADDRESS AS [redacted] SAN JOSE, CALIF.

IN VIEW OF PURCHASE OF FIREARM AT BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA MARCH THIRTY LAST BY SUBJECT USING NAME HARVEY LOWMYER, AND FACT THAT HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER, [redacted] HAS HISTORY SIMILAR TO SUBJECT RAY AT QUINCY, ILL., PREVIOUS LEADS SET FORTH TO LOCATE HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER TO DETERMINE IF HE IS AN ASSOCIATE OF RAY OR IS CO-CONSPIRATOR WITH RAY, IN MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING.

SAN FRANCISCO, AT SAN JOSE, CALIF., SHOULD CONDUCT INVESTIGATION AT [redacted] TO LOCATE HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER.

SUBJECT CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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